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## House Resolution No. 4680

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself through many years of excellence in fire protection; and

**Whereas**, Dave Flanagan officially retired as Fire Inspector with the City of St. Joseph Fire Department on June 14, 2007, after twenty-six years of exceptional service and dedication; and

Whereas, during his impressive tenure, Dave Flanagan was instrumental in starting Fire Smart Juvenile Fire Setter Program, which assists parents in dealing with children who set fires, educating the child, and assisting with counseling; and

Whereas, Dave Flanagan was also involved in fundraising to purchase a fire safety and severe weather training trailer, which he used in St Joseph and surrounding cities and towns to teach kids how to protect themselves in the event of fire, tornado, and adverse conditions; and

**Whereas**, a member of Firefighters Local 77, IAFF, and AFL-CIO, Dave Flanagan has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife, the late Karen Flanagan; and his two children, David and Kimberly:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Dave Flanagan for his twenty-six years and seven months of unparalleled service to the State of Missouri Fire Department at Rosecrans MAP; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Fire Inspector Dave Flanagan.

Offered by
Representative Ed Wildberger
District No. 27
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4680, adopted September 10, 2007.
Rod Jetton, Speaker